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This is a request for filing a Continuation patent application Advisional patent application

under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b), of pending prior application Serial No. 10/012,605 filed on December 7, 2001 entitled ADIPOCYTE COMPLEMENT RELATED PROTEIN ZACRP3X2, incorporated herein by reference.

Prior Examiner: O'Hara, E. Prior Art Unit: 1646

Enclosed are the following papers:

| \square | 102 | pages of specification |
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10 pages of sequence listing

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A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

The prior application is assigned of record to ZymoGenetics, Inc.

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Respectfully submitted,

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- 9. Information Disclosure Statement and PTO- 1449 (7 pages)

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